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TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

2	The Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred Senate Bill		
3	No. 160 entitled "An act relating to agricultural development" respectfully		
4	reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the House propose		
5	to the Senate that the bill be amended by adding a Sec. 18a before the reader		
6	assistance to read as follows:		
7	Sec. 18a. 2018 Acts and Resolves No. 194, Sec. 26a is amended to read:		
8	Sec. 26a. TRANSFER FROM CEDF TO GENERAL FUND; TAX		
9	EXPENDITURE; ADVANCED WOOD BOILERS		
10	(a) Beginning on July 1, 2018, the Clean Energy Development Fund		
11	quarterly shall calculate the forgone sales tax on advanced wood fired boilers		
12	resulting from the sales tax exemption under 32 V.S.A. § 9741(52) for		
13	advanced wood boilers. Beginning on October 1, 2018, the Clean Energy		
14	Development Fund shall notify the Department of Taxes of the amount of sales		
15	tax forgone in the preceding calendar quarter resulting from the sales tax		
16	exemption under 32 V.S.A. § 9741(52) for advanced wood boilers.		
17	(b) In fiscal years 2019 and 2020, the Clean Energy Development Fund		
18	shall transfer from the Clean Energy Development Fund to the General Fund		
19	the amount of the tax expenditure resulting from the sales tax exemption under		
20	32 V.S.A. § 9741(52) on advanced wood boilers up to a maximum of		
21	\$200,000.00 for both fiscal years combined. The Department of Taxes shall		

1	deposit 64 percent 100 percent of the monies transferred from the Clean		
2	Energy Development Fund into the General Fund under 32 V.S.A. § 435 and		
3	36 percent of the monies in the Education Fund under 16 V.S.A. § 4025.		
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13		Representative	
14		FOR THE COMMITTEE	